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As a below named inventor, I declare that:

My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name; I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural inventors are named below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled: **CONTRACEPTIVE TRANSCERVICAL FALLOPIAN TUBE OCCLUSION DEVICES AND METHODS** the specification of which is attached hereto or X was filed on June 1, 1999 as Application No. 09/324,078 and was amended on (if applicable).

I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above. I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to patentability as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, Section 1.56. I claim foreign priority benefits under Title 35, United States Code, Section 119 of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate listed below and have also identified below any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed.

Prior Foreign Application(s)

Country	Application No.	Date of Filing	Priority Claimed Under 35 USC 119

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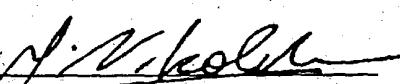
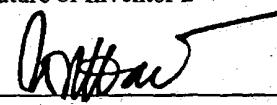
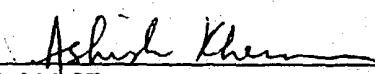
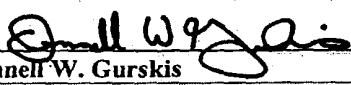
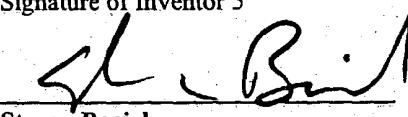
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I claim the benefit under Title 35, United States Code, Section 120 of any United States application(s) listed below and, insofar as the subject matter of each of the claims of this application is not disclosed in the prior United States application in the manner provided by the first paragraph of Title 35, United States Code, Section 112, I acknowledge the duty to disclose material information as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, Section 1.56 which occurred between the filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT international filing date of this application:

Application No.	Date of Filing	Status
PCT/US98/20031	9/23/98	Pending
09/093,835	6/8/98	Pending
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POWER OF ATTORNEY BY ASSIGNEE

Conceptus, Inc. is the Assignee of the invention entitled: **Contraceptive Transcervical Fallopian Tube Occlusion Devices and Methods**, the specification of which is attached hereto or X was filed on June 1, 1999 as Application Serial No. 09/324,078.

Assignee hereby appoints the following attorney(s) and/or agent(s) to prosecute this application and transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith.

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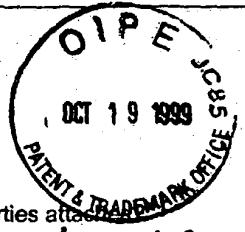
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ASSIGNMENT OF PATENT APPLICATION

JOINT

WHEREAS, Julian K. Nikolchev, of 251 Durazno Way, Portola Valley, California, 94028, Dai T. Ton, of 1693 Flickinger Avenue, San Jose, California, 95131, Ashish Khera, of 1630 Sanchez Street, #3, San Francisco, California, 94131, Donnell W. Gurskis, of 3251 Anastacia Court, Pleasanton, California, 94588, and Steven Bacich, of 20 Fairway Place, Half Moon Bay, California, 94019, hereinafter referred to as "Assignors," are the inventors of the invention described and set forth in the below-identified application for United States Letters Patent:

Title of Invention: **CONTRACEPTIVE TRANSCERVICAL FALLOPIAN
TUBE OCCLUSION DEVICES AND METHODS**

Date(s) of execution
of Declaration: **JULY 28, 1999**

Filing Date: **June 1, 1999**

Application No.: **09/324,078; and**

WHEREAS, Conceptus, Inc., a corporation of Delaware, located at 1021 Howard Avenue, San Carlos, California, 94070, hereinafter referred to as "ASSIGNEE," is desirous of acquiring an interest in the invention and application and in any U.S. Letters Patent and Registrations which may be granted on the same;

For good and valuable consideration, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged by Assignors, Assignors have assigned, and by these presents do assign to Assignee all right, title and interest in and to the invention and application and to all foreign counterparts (including patent, utility model and industrial designs), and in and to any Letters Patent and Registrations which may hereafter be granted on the same in the United States and all countries throughout the world, and to claim the priority from the application as provided by the Paris Convention. The right, title and interest is to be held and enjoyed by Assignee and Assignee's successors and assigns as fully and exclusively as it would have been held and enjoyed by Assignors had this Assignment not been made, for the full term of any Letters Patent and Registrations which may be granted thereon, or of any division, renewal, continuation in whole or in part, substitution, conversion, reissue, prolongation or extension thereof.

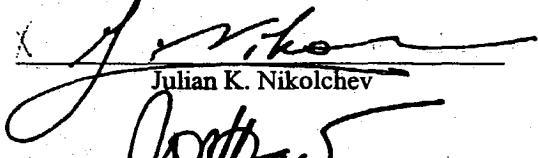
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Assignors hereby authorize and request Townsend and Townsend and Crew LLP, Two Embarcadero Center, 8th Floor, San Francisco, California 94111-3834, to insert herein above the application number and filing date of said application when known.

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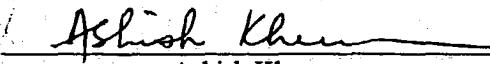
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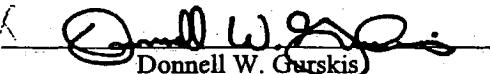
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